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THE SUMMER TERM STATE NORMAL SCHOOL WARRENSBURG, MO.

The Summer School will begin Tuesday, June 2d, and continue ten weeks. Special efforts are made in this term to meet all the needs of all teachers in all the schools. Students may review common school subjects preparatory to county examination, take subjects for credits on county and state certificates, do work for the Regent's Certificate or the regular diploma, or do advanced work for a higher degree; they may do work in Art, Household Arts, Manual Arts, Music, Commerce, and Physical Education. Special courses in Agriculture for high school teachers, in the Teacher Training work for high schools, and in Kindergarten Theory and Primary Methods for primary teachers. Additional strong teachers have been secured for the summer work. Write for special bulletin. Address.

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FARM FURROWS.

Farmer and Stockman.

There is no joy like the homemade sort.

Stubbornness is substituted for will power by a great many folks.

When a man starts in to speak his mind right out it is usually a poor piece.

It is strange that the kicker never seems to get sore hoofs; it must be that his heels are mighty tough.

Money is not such a great comfort to own; one has to hold it so tight in order to keep it from slipping away.

Sometimes when one sets out to see how fast he can travel he is not able to tell the results of his experiment afterward.

There is a vast difference between the smile which is given for your pleasure and the one which is intended to exact homage from you.

Old Bill Williams says that he can't understand why folks raise such a hue and cry against the dandelion; it is the only flower that he cares about troubling himself to grow.

I suppose that a shade over the seat on the corn plow is a fine thing, but I cannot speak from experience. When it is too hot for me to ride the corn plow it is too hot for the horses to work.

Don't forget that even hens need fresh, cool drinking water when the weather is as hot as it has been now and no doubt will be for some time. Everything that adds to the comfort of the animals on the farm adds to the profits of the farmer.

Pushing the lawn mower is hard work and it is hard to see where the returns come from in dollars and cents, because they never come, but the appearance of a well-kept lawn is a thing to excite admiration, no matter whether it is in the town or in the country.

When farmers begin to hire married men to work for them the "back-to-the-land" movement will start in earnest and this will come, because the farmer can afford to pay more for help than anyone else. Steady work and sure pay will appeal to the wage earner who supports a family.

I don't know my neighbor very well. The most of his life is a sealed book to me. He gives me only glimpses of his pages now and then. I look at the binding, the title page, and the fly leaves. Therefore my opinion of him, in the very nature of the case, must be rather tentative. I will not judge him, because but a very little of the material upon which a just judgment should be based is available to me. To do so would be both unjust to him and a reproach to myself.

The power to think is man's distinction. He should put thought into his work whatever it is. The aim of all education is to develop the ability to use the mind. Every occupation affords opportunity to use the mind. The mistake which the mass of folks make in life is to assume that an occupation which requires the use of the hands gives little or no scope for mental exercise and they allow themselves to become mere machines in following it out. No work into which one puts brains as well as muscle is mental.

It seems to me that the world needs to change its notion about what constitutes heroism, or at least to learn the great lesson that heroes may be made elsewhere as well as on the field of battle. All good men pay tribute to what they consider the heroic, and, as long as war seems to be the most productive field for this quality in human character it will be esteemed as the special arena of glory. If we want wars to cease let us learn to recognize the heroism which may be engendered in the often-trying walks of civil life and weave for it its proper crown of applause. There is a heroism of mortal and spiritual life which cries out for recognition, and which is far more honorable to glorify.

If envy could gain a person anything it would be too big a price to pay for it.

Some folks love a lie because it is the only tool with which they can make a noise.

In being your brother's keeper be sure that you do not keep him from a good deal of the wholesome enjoyment that is his by rights.

Some folks seem to have an idea that you will not realize they are in the procession at all unless they manage to kick up a lot of dust as they go along.

Who wants to be happy can be; who wants to be made happy is apt to be sadly disappointed. Get the idea, my friend? There is all the difference in the world between the two states of mind.

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It is doubtful if any of those who planted cottonwoods twenty-five years ago ever guessed that the twigs they planted would be sawed into lumber. With their experience before us we should do a great deal better. Will we do it?

Automobile manufacturers have at last learned that high speed is not a thing to be desired and are doing their best to make machines that will travel slowly and quietly on "high." When twenty miles an hour is considered driving the automobile will come into its own.

There are too many who have not learned that it is possible to do more harm than good in cultivating corn when the ground is wet and they don't seem to be able to learn by experience. It is better to let the hired man take a little undeserved rest than to have him puddling around in the cornfield just for the satisfaction of keeping him at work.

Did you ever notice that the fellow who complains the most about the cold and blizzards in the winter is the one who grunts and whines about the heat and mud in the summer? It seems that some can see and say only disagreeable things. They should be pitied, not blamed.

I can't talk to the average run of folks very long without acquiring a longing to get out somewhere all by myself and listen to the birds sing. And I am by no means a misanthrope, either. But I cannot help wishing that even the people whom I love the most dearly had more of the simplicity and sweetness of the forest songsters in them.

Harvester Company Pays Fine of \$25,000

Jefferson City, June 24.—J. D. Allen, clerk of the supreme court, received today from the International Harvester Company of America a check for \$25,728.65, representing the fine and part of the costs of the litigation which led to the conviction of that company on charges of violation of the anti-trust laws of Missouri. The total costs of the suit were approximately \$32,000, and there remain some features to be adjusted by the company with the clerk.

Judge Theodore Brace of Paris, who was special commissioner in the investigation, was paid \$5,400 by the company, that representing his fees and traveling expenses. James Roberts of Marshall, stenographer, was paid \$1,500 for his work in connection with the investigation.

The amount of the fine, \$25,000, will be turned into the state treasury by Mr. Allen, where it becomes a part of the general revenue fund of the state.

There was not, as was the general impression, a judgment of absolute ouster against the Harvester company. Judge W. W. Graves, who wrote the opinion in the case, which was sustained later by the United States supreme court, says the ouster was conditional upon future behavior.

Judge Graves said it is entirely within the power of the court to inflict absolute ouster, and it is also within the power of the court to temper justice with mercy and permit the company to remain in the state, provided it keeps aloof from combinations in restraint of business and generally obeys the laws of Missouri.

Jefferson City, June 26.—W. M. Robinson, former justice of the supreme court, today notified J. D. Allen, clerk of the supreme court, that he contemplates a legal proceeding to compel the state to turn over to the school fund of Cole county the \$25,000 fine recently paid by the International Harvester company of America.

Judge Robinson contends that under the statutes the fine properly belongs to the school fund of the county wherein the suit against the company originated.

Bates County Medical Society Meets.

The regular monthly meeting of the Bates County Medical Society was held in the court house in this city with the following gentlemen present: W. W. Duke, John R. Hayden and Ernest G. Work, all of Kansas City; H. A. Rhoades, Foster; E. E. Robinson, Adrian; T. C. Boulware, T. F. Lockwood, E. G. Zey, J. S. Newton, T. W. Foster, J. M. Christy, R. E. Crabtree, C. A. Lusk and E. N. Chastain of Butler.

Dr. Duke, Dr. Hayden and Dr. Work addressed the meeting and Dr. R. E. Crabtree laid a very interesting case before the society.

C. W. Hess served ice cream for the members at the close of the meeting.



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Our work talks for itself.

Eyes tested and glasses properly fitted.

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BUTLER, MO.

William Baskerville.

In the life of William Baskerville we find a God-fearing man, rich in love of family and of his fellowmen. Having a high conception of honor and integrity, he was possessed of a strength of character, a personality so strong that his influence was stamped upon all with whom he came in contact. He believed in a practical, working Christianity and was always ready to help the needy and unfortunate.

He was honest, industrious, economical and charitable. The world is made better by the lives of such men and the void is never filled when such men are called up higher.

William Baskerville was born in Cumberland county, Virginia, May 20th, 1828, and passed away on the farm he had lived upon continuously for the past fifty years, in Bates county, Mo., June 18th, 1914.

He came to Missouri when eight years of age and grew to manhood in Cooper county. Then after spending five years freighting across the plains and in California, he settled upon the farm he resided upon until his death.

In 1870 he was united in marriage to Mary Caldwell, of Kentucky parentage. Of this union two sons and three daughters survive him. Of his father's family only one sister, Mrs. Kate Snodgrass, survives him.

He was laid to rest in Snodgrass cemetery, June 17th, by the side of his wife who preceded him twenty-seven years. The large number of sorrowing friends and neighbors who gathered to do honor and show respect to his remains, is a grateful testimonial of the high esteem in which he was held.

One by one the workmen, the builders for eternity, are dismissed from their work. Into that city of God, with life's work well done, may writer and reader at least have abundant entrance.—Appleton City Journal.

List of Letters

remaining uncalled for in the post office at Butler, Mo., for the week ending June 30th, 1914:

Jos. Simpson, Isaac Webb, Mrs. Lizzie Track.

These letters will be sent to the dead letter office July 14th, 1914, if not delivered before. In calling for the above, please say "Advertised," giving date of list.

J. E. Williams, Postmaster.

Charters' Poland Chinas.

W. H. Charters, Jr., Butler, Mo., keeps his herd of big type Poland China hogs coming along nicely from year to year and this promises to be the best year the herd has seen for producing a great number of extra good pigs. All have been given the simultaneous treatment and are now doing exceptionally fine. White Sox Chief, Mr. Charters' A Wonder boar and Long Price are sires of the greater number of the 150 early spring pigs. Wonder Chief the yearling son of White Sox Chief that is retained in the herd is the sire of a few litters and these are exceptionally good. In Wonder Chief, Mr. Charters has the making of the largest boar he has ever owned. He looks as though he would go to the 1,000-pound class and is smooth. In order to keep getting new blood in the herd Mr. Charters recently purchased Missouri Kip 187589, a son of Long King's Equal, out of Ko Komo 3d by R. & C's. Pawnee Lad, he by old Pawnee Lad. This boar is now two years old, has size and quality and should make a valuable addition to the herd, as he is a proven sire of exceptionally good pigs. Mr. Charters will not hold a fall sale and is making a special drive on boars. He also has a number of good young sows bred for fall litters that are offered at reasonable prices. After September 1st Mr. Charters will move to his new farm joining the city limits of Butler and wants all who can to come and see his herd. He also is pricing his old farm of 240 acres and someone wanting a good stock and grain farm can buy this farm worth the money.—Farmer and Stockman.

Trustee's Sale.

Whereas, Conway Grayson and Myrtle Grayson, husband and wife, by deed of trust dated April 1st, 1911, and recorded April 24th, 1911, in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of Bates county, Missouri, in book 214 at page 236, conveyed to the undersigned in trust, to secure the payment of the note and coupons in said deed of trust particularly described, the following described real estate situate in Bates county, Missouri, to-wit:

The West half of the East half of fractional section three (3), in Township forty two (42), of Range thirty-three (33), containing 30 acres. And whereas, interest coupon, due April 1st, 1914, described in and secured by said deed of trust, has not been paid. And whereas, the owner of said note and coupon has requested me to execute the power vested in me by said deed of trust to sell said real estate, and out of the proceeds of said sale pay the indebtedness secured thereby. Therefore in compliance with said request, and in pursuance of the power vested in me by said deed of trust, I will sell said real estate as public vendue to the highest bidder, for cash, on the 25th day of July, 1914, at the front door of the Court House in the city of Butler, in Bates county, Missouri.

JOHN W. PETERSON, Trustee.

Hold Your Wheat

"Don't rush in with the crowd and help force the prices down."

The above is the advice of Arthur Capper, the big farm man of Kansas. Mr. Capper says this is the year it will pay the farmer to build granaries and store their wheat and oats.

The rush is now on and prices are being forced down by the enormous crop that is being dumped on the market. You can build a granary and hold your wheat for three or four months and you can make from 20 to 30c per bushel on it.

We have taken Mr. Capper's advice and have in stock thoroughly seasoned Low Priced Granary Lumber for you to repair and build your granary, and farmers are taking advantage of it and coming to our yard for their lumber. We will appreciate a call from you and will help you figure out your granary and will tell you just what it will cost you.

We have just unloaded a car of Clear Fir STAVE SILOS—when you are in town just come over and take a peep at this Clear Fir lumber from the Pacific coast—it will pay you for your trouble. The staves are from 20 to 32 feet in length.

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